

Notices

For further details on any of these events or activities,
please contact the Parish Office on 810616.
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Services this Sunday

0.30am All Age Worship
6.30pm Evening Worship

Preacher

Kate Davidson
Keith Mallon

Cummersdale

10.30am Morning Worship Peter Bye

Mon 5 **10.00am** Parent and Toddler Bible Study
2.30pm Women's Fellowship Coffee & chat

Wed 7 **10.00am and 1.30pm** Toddlers
7.30pm Prayer & Praise

Thur 8 **10.30am** Sticky Fingers
7.30pm Music Practice

Fri 9 7.00pm 24hr prayer commences at Denton St

Services Next Sunday

10.30am Family Worship
6.30pm Holy Communion

Preacher

John Libby
Eddie Scrase-Field

Cummersdale

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Information

Get Passionate About Prayer 24 Hours of Prayer



7pm Fri 9th July - 7pm Sat 10th
at Denton Street premises.

Join us in 24 hrs of prayer at our Denton Street premises, praying for our community. Please sign up at the back of church.

Home Communions will be taking place on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 13, 14, 15 July. Please speak to Gordon Rudman or a member of staff if you would like to receive Communion at this time.

Homegroup Leaders Meeting: Wednesday 14 July, 7.30pm

Acoustic Cafe Night Saturday 17th July, 7.00pm at the Parish Centre. £2 a ticket to raise money for Sarah Hetherington's teaching project in Madagascar and Gap Year placement with NISCU. For more info see Sarah

Ladies Guild are holding a 'Summer Outfit' Party on **Tuesday 20 July** at 3.00pm. Please contact Lyn Bainbridge (543782) by 16 July if you would like to attend.

Cleaning Party! Saturday 24 July 10.00am - 2.00pm @ St James Parish Centre. Please sign up at the back of church if you are able to help with any cleaning or maintenance jobs. All Welcome.

Please Pray For:

Those who are ill or in hospital at this time, especially Fiona Hurley, Peggy Fluck, Glenda Davidson, Maureen Richardson, Joyce Mason, Nora Klein and Doreen Marrs.

Those recently bereaved, particularly the family and friends of Phyllis Sloan.

Please feel free to take this service sheet away with you

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S A I N T J A M E S C H U R C H

CUMMERSDALE

Morning Worship
10.30am, Sunday 4th July, 2010



Welcome to our service this morning. We continue our teaching series looking at some interesting issues from Matthew Chapter 22. Whose Son is the Christ?

Welcome and Notices

Opening Sentence:

"But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.""
Matthew Chapter 1 verses 20-21

Hymn

I will sing the wondrous story
of the Christ who died for me;
How He left the realms of glory
for the cross on Calvary.

*Yes, I'll sing the wondrous story
of the Christ who died for me;
Sing it with the saints in glory,
gathered by the crystal sea.*

I was lost but Jesus found me,
found the sheep that went astray;
Threw His loving arms around me,
drew me back into His way.

*Yes, I'll sing the wondrous story
of the Christ who died for me;
Sing it with the saints in glory,
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Days of darkness still come o'er me;
Sorrow's paths I often tread,
but the Saviour still is with me,
by His hand I'm safely led.

*Yes, I'll sing the wondrous story
of the Christ who died for me;
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We have come together in the name of Christ to offer our praise and thanksgiving, to hear and receive God's holy word, to pray for the needs of the world, and to seek the forgiveness of our sins, that by the power of the Holy Spirit we may give ourselves to the service of God.

Time of confession:

God of mercy, we acknowledge that we are all sinners. We turn from the wrong that we have thought and said and done and are mindful of all that we have failed to do. For the sake of Jesus, who died for us, forgive us for all that is past, and help us to live each day in the light of Christ our Lord. Amen

Promise of forgiveness:

Listen to God's promise to all who are truly sorry: As high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His love for those who respond to Him. As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our sins from us.

The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Hymn

**From heaven you came, helpless babe,
entered our world, Your glory veiled,
not to be served but to serve,
and give Your life that we might live.**

*This is our God, the Servant King,
He calls us now to follow Him,
to bring our lives as a daily offering
of worship to the Servant King.*

There in the garden of tears
my heavy load He chose to bear;
His heart with sorrow was torn,
'Yet not my will but yours,' He said.

Come see His hands and His feet,
the scars that speak of sacrifice,
hands that flung stars into space
to cruel nails surrendered.

So let us learn how to serve
and in our lives enthrone Him,
each other's needs to prefer,
for it is Christ we're serving.

Graham Kendrick (c) 1983 Make Way Music/Thankyou Music

The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Intercessions

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.**

Followed by:

**The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
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Reading:

Matthew Chapter 22 verses 41-46

"While the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them, "What do you think about the Christ? Whose son is he?" "The son of David," they replied. He said to them, "How is it then that David, speaking by the Spirit, calls him 'Lord'? For he says, "The Lord said to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand until I put your enemies under your feet."" If then David calls him 'Lord,' how can he be his son?" No one could say a word in reply, and from that day on no one dared to ask him any more questions."

after the reading:

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All: Thanks be to God.**

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O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder

Consider all the works Thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed:

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God to Thee,
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!
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When through the woods and forest glades I wander
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze;

And when I think that God His Son not sparing,
Sent Him to die - I scarce can take it in.
That on the cross my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin:

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home - what joy shall fill my heart!
Then shall I bow in humble adoration
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!
Stuart K Hine. (c) Kingsway Music 1953

Offertory Prayer

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

**All things come from you,
and of your own do we give you.**

Closing Prayer and Blessing

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